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Mr. Tom Kendrick
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Dear Mr. Kendrick:

The Preservation Office received your consideration over the phone concerning the bucket ball line in Water Canyon, Carbon County, Utah, and its potential safety hazard to your company as well as others working in the Water Canyon area.

Since the line has been considered an eligible historic site in the Carbon County area, it requires some consideration and planning before the line is taken down. Our staff would recommend to you and other companies working in the area that they seek some kind of condemnation order from the county and the permission of the landholders to study how this hazard can be taken care of in the most expedient manner. Our office has no opinion as to whether or not the line should remain, only that all considerations should be given to a safety study of the line to determine if it is necessary to take it down, and that rules and regulations that the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining has are followed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 533-7039. This is an advisory letter only, and does not reflect as an official opinion of the State Historic Preservation Officer.

Sincerely,

Jim Dykmann
Cultural Resource Advisor

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